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Drink good coffee, there is nothing better than our fresh roasted coffee, 3, 4, 5, and 7 pounds respectively \$1. Royal Blend Tea at 85c and \$1 per pound.

P. & F. Old Fashion Open Kettle Molasses is the only genuine open kettle molasses on the market, for sale only by us.

Try a 12 pound sack of Ralston Whole Wheat flour for making batter cakes and bread, it is unexcelled.

We have just received 700 pounds of Premium Hams and Breakfast Bacon; Shore Mess Mackerel 12 1-2c each; Banner Brand Mackerel extra fine value for 10c each; Ralston's Breakfast Food; Pettijohn Breakfast Food; Scotch Oats.

Good groceries at prices that you often pay for inferior goods elsewhere is the best inducement we can offer.

Every article guaranteed to be satisfactory or we will gladly exchange same. Two 'phones, 23 and 150.

HOWELL BROTHERS,
GROCERS AND COFFEE ROASTERS.

CONDITIONS ARE GROWING WORSE

Decaying Corpses and Animals Menacing the Living.

FOUL AIR RISES FROM THE DEBRIS.

Sickness Will Set in Unless Galveston Is Quickly Depopulated.

BODIES BURIED AT SEA ARE RETURNING.

The Tide Is Bringing Many Back Making the Situation More Grave. Much Suffering for Water and Medical Aid.

Galveston, Sept. 13.—All attempt at burying the dead has been utterly abandoned and bodies are now being disposed of in the swiftest manner possible. Scores of them were burned Wednesday and hundreds were taken out to sea and thrown overboard. The safety of the living is now the paramount question and nothing that will tend to prevent the outbreak of an awful pestilence is being neglected. It is found that large numbers of the bodies which had previously been thrown in the bay have been washed back upon the shore and the situation is thus rendered worse than before they were first put in the barges and thrown into the water.

Great piles of human bodies, dead animals, rotting vegetation, household furniture and fragments of the houses themselves are piled in confused heaps right in the main streets of the city. Along the gulf front human bodies are floating around like cordwood. Intermingled with them are to be found the carcasses of horses, chickens, dogs and rotting vegetable matter. Above all rises the foulest stench that ever emanated from any cesspool, absolute sickening in its intensity and most dangerous to health in its effects. Along the strand adjacent to the gulf front where are located all the big wholesale warehouses and stores the situation almost defies successful review. Great stores of fresh vegetation have been invaded by the incoming waters and are now turned into garbage piles of most befouling odors. The gulf waters while on land played at will with everything, smashing in doors of stores, depositing dead bodies of humans and animals where it pleased and then receded, leaving the wreckage to tell its own tale of how well the work had been done. As a result the great warehouses are foul toms wherein are to be found the dead bodies of hundreds of human beings, the carcasses of horses, cows, dogs and chickens, midst all the rotting and decaying cabbage, potatoes, onions, bananas and fruit of every kind, adding to the odor and almost defying any invasion from relief parties.

It will never be known how many have lost their lives in this awful catastrophe. Estimates run all the way from 1000 to 10,000. The former figure is given by Lieutenant Perry, an aide on General McKibben's staff. His estimate is laughed at by a number of men who have been in Galveston and returned here earlier in the week, they claiming that at least 2500 bodies were buried or carried out to sea in the barges before Lieutenant Perry arrived. No list of the dead has been kept and it will be utterly impossible to formulate one from now on. Mayor Jones of Galveston claims that the dead will amount to 5000 and others place it as high as 10,000.

Relief committees from the interior of the state have commenced to arrive, and as usual they are much too large in numbers and to a certain extent are in the way of the people of Galveston and an impediment to the prompt relief which they themselves are so desirous of offering. Several of the relief expeditions have had committees large enough to consume 10 per cent of the provisions which they brought.

The relief sent here from Beaumont, Tex., arrived yesterday morning and was distributed as fast as possible. It consisted of two carloads of ice and provisions and came by way of Port Arthur. The great trouble now seems to be that those people who are in the greatest need are, through no fault of those in charge of the distribution, the last to receive aid. Many of them are so badly maimed and wounded that they are unable to apply to the relief committee, and the committees are so overwhelmed

by direct applications that they have been unable to send out messengers.

The wounded everywhere are still needing the attention of physicians and despite every effort it is feared that a number will die because of the sheer physical impossibility to afford them the aid necessary to save their lives. Every man in Galveston who is able to work is doing relief with all the energy of which he is capable. But despite their utmost endeavors they cannot keep up with the increase in the miserable conditions which surround them.

Dr. Shaw of Houston, who is engaged in relief work, says there are 200 people at St. Mary's infirmary without fresh water. They make coffee of salt water and that is the only means of satisfying their thirst.

Very little stealing was reported Wednesday and there were no killings. The number of men shot down previously for robbing the dead proved a salutary lesson, and it is not expected that there will be any more occurrence of this sort. The soldiers of the regular army and of the national guard are guarding the property, and it is impossible for thieves to escape.

Efforts are being made to pick up the dead bodies that have floated in with the tide, after having been once cast into the sea. This is awful work and few men are found with sufficiently strong nerves to last at it more than 30 minutes at a time. All of the bodies are badly decomposed, swollen to enormous proportions and of so dark a hue that it is possible to tell only by the hair, when any hair is visible, whether the corpses are those of white people or of negroes.

General McKibben of the United States army, and Adjutant General Scurry have assumed entire charge of the city, with the result that conditions have been very much improved as far as order and method in the distribution of supplies and the discretion of the work is concerned. General McKibben represents the government in a general way, but has not assumed direct charge of the city, which is under the command of Adjutant General Scurry. Several of the very young soldiers have been a trifle overzealous in the matter of guarding the property, carrying their energy to a point which made it somewhat uncomfortable for the people whose property and person they came to guard. General Scurry repressed them promptly and several of them have been disarmed. The service of the militia, on the whole however, has so far been of a most excellent character.

Every effort is being made to induce people to leave Galveston, and it is difficult for any one, unless he is in direct charge of a relief train, to gain admittance to the place. The hundreds of people who left Houston Wednesday for Galveston could get no farther than Texas City, which is on the north side of Galveston bay, and there they were compelled to remain until the train brought them back to Houston. No persuasion, no sum of money would induce the guard to pass them into the stricken city. Orders had been issued that no sightseers were to be allowed, and the order was obeyed with the utmost rigidity.

It will be at least a week before there is full and free communication with Galveston, but matters are now steadily progressing toward a solution of the problems that confront the relief committee.

Every effort is being made to induce people to leave and one train carried 830 women and children and another train carried twice as many more. Mayor Jones estimates that there are at least 10,000 of these helpless ones who should be taken from Galveston at the earliest moment. They are all apparently anxious to get away and will be handled as rapidly as possible.

Another trainload of provisions and clothing, making the third within the last 24 hours, came here from Houston last night.

The steamer Charlotte Allen arrived at noon yesterday from Houston with 1000 loaves of bread and other provisions. The amount of food which has been sent so far has been large, but there are still in the neighborhood of 30,000 people on the island to be cared for.

MUST LEAVE GALVESTON.

People Must Be Moved to Avoid Some Kind of Epidemic.

Houston, Sept. 13.—A mass meeting of the general relief committee was held Wednesday to discuss the best method of handling the crowds of people who are expected to come in from Galveston within the next two or three days. It was decided to pitch the government tents in Emancipation park in Houston where there is no suitable place in Galveston where they can be put up.

Mayor Brashear sent a communication to Mayor Jones of Galveston urging that all persons be sent to Houston from that as quickly as possible, and gave assurance that they would be amply provided for.

September Days



Are at hand and we want your grocery trade, or at least a share of it for this month. We promise the best service—courteous treatment, prompt delivery and the best goods at the lowest prices. We are receiving

Fresh groceries

Constantly and keep pace with the seasons in our purchases. We will make it to your interest to try us this month.

The Bryan Grocery Co.,

TOM A. SEARCY, Manager.

Pipe work and plumbing.

Water Backs in Stoves, Fitting up Reservoir, Bath Tubs, Hose Repairing, Etc. Leave orders at Wilcox's blacksmith shop or at The Bryan Eagle office; work promptly done.

M. F. HEENAN.

By "all persons" Mayor Brashear meant that not those who are injured or destitute should come, but it included everybody. He wished it distinctly understood that Houston was prepared to care for all those who left Galveston, whether they were sick or well, rich or poor. It was his belief, and the belief of those associated with them on the general relief that Galveston must be depopulated until the sanitation can be affected, and for this reason all people have been urged to come from that city to Houston.

Provisions from St. Louis.

St. Louis, Sept. 13.—From the army commissary and quartermaster stores here 30,000 rations and 900 tents have been sent by a special train over the Iron Mountain road to the Galveston suffers.

The Western Poultry and Game company have sent 65,000 pounds produce, provisions and food stuff loaded into two cars.

I. & G. N. EXCURSIONS

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 1st to 8th, —St. Louis Fair.

RICHMOND, Virginia, September 17th to 22nd—National Baptist Convention (col)

MEXICO, September 15th and 16th City of Mexico, Saltillo, and other points account Mexican Independence Day Celebration.

Low excursion rates will be made for all the above occasions. Ask ticket agents for particulars regarding rates, dates of sale, limits, etc., or write to D. J. PRICE, G. P. & T. A. Palestine, Texas.

Get your fresh meats of all kinds at

Brogdon's Market,

TRAN'S OLD STAND.

Beef, Pork, Sausage, Etc., the best that can be had, always on hand Yours to please,

R. L. BROGDON.

The Press Publishing Association's scensus guessing contest for \$52,000.00 in premiums will probably not close before October 15th, as it will be November 15th before the official count can be announced, according to present estimates. Those who wish to guess have plenty of time yet.

We want your grocery business....

BATTLE AX FLOUR is the best.

For September and will make it to your interest to trade with us. We never sacrifice quality in making low prices, but we never charge fancy prices for the best. A trial order will convince you that our claims are based on facts.

DEE MIKE, JR.,

PHONE 55.

School Books!

A complete line of school books used in Brazos county, also a full line of school supplies at

BEN. S. READ,
THE DRUGGIST.

"Old Liza"

ful work, are the claims upon which we solicit a share of your business in the future. Thanking those who have favored me in the past and hoping to continue to please them, I am respectfully,

F. A. LEE.

DRAY LINE, F. A. Lee, Proprietor. Good drays and polite draymen, prompt and careful work, are the claims upon which we solicit a share of your business in the future. Thanking those who have favored me in the past and hoping to continue to please them, I am respectfully,

LOOK this way!

KEEPING ABREAST of these stirring times, we are now receiving the largest and handsomest stock of goods we have ever handled. It is complete and up-to-date in every respect and embraces all the new and correct styles. We are showing an elegant line of ladies' shirt waists and skirts.

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THE DAILY EAGLE.

BY CONNELLY, PALMER & CARNES.

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE:

Per Week, 10c. - - Per Month, 40c.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 14 1900

It will be a matter of satisfaction to all who take a pride in the Texas deep water port of Galveston to learn that a man of such unerring judgement as Mr. Leroy Trice is of the opinion that the shipping interests of the Island City will suffer only temporary loss from the great storm disaster; that better facilities for handling commodities than the city has ever had will be provided, and that the products for the great northwest will not be diverted from their natural channel through Texas to the gulf.

DO YOU USE PERFUME?

Let us suggest that you try a bit of Alfred Wright's

CARNATION PINK,

The perfume of the day—we have just received a fresh supply. We have also received all the standard odors: White Rose, Violet, Heliotrope, Mary Stuart Juliet, Maude Muller, Etc. We have received exclusive sale of the new perfume

THELMA

a delightful fragrant, delicate and lasting odor 50c per oz. Then we have...

California Wildflower 50c Ounce,
Rieger's California Perfumes 50c Ounce,
Pinaud's Violette Reine 75c Ounce.

Emmel's
Prescription
Pharmacy.

MR. LEROY TRICE.

Talks Regarding the Galveston Storm and Future of the Port.

Vice President and General Manager Leroy Trice of the International & Great Northern system spent several hours in the city yesterday. Mr. Trice had just come up from Galveston where he had been looking over the situation since the great storm.

To an Eagle reporter he said: "The situation is as bad as it can be and the English language is wholly inadequate to describe it. The loss of life is something appalling and \$10,000,000 will not cover the destruction of property. The railroad losses will aggregate five or six million dollars. Our losses include eight miles of track, 400 cars, a \$300,000 bridge and 25 miles of track on the island is a tangled and matted mass. One of our freight trains of fifty-five cars of wheat going into Galveston was caught by the storm on the mainland and blown seven miles, the cars and grain all being lost. We are now operating trains to Texas City and carrying on traffic from that point to Galveston by boat."

When questioned regarding the future of the port, Mr. Trice said: "Better shipping facilities will be established at Galveston than ever as fast as men and money can place them there. Negotiations are now going on to the end that all railroads entering the city join forces and materials and establish a temporary bridge across the bay, and if the plan succeeds it is hoped that trains can run to Galveston in thirty days. The negotiations going on also contemplate the construction of a permanent double track steel bridge which will not wash away to be used by all the roads entering the city, namely the I. & G. N., G. H. & H., M. K. & T., Santa Fe and Southern Pacific."

Mr. Trice looked over the railroad work going on here and gave instructions concerning it. He appears to be very well pleased with the progress made, considering weather conditions and other circumstances.

The bond of human sympathy grows ever stronger; tales of disaster loose the tightest purse strings; year by year the world grows greater and better; among the masses of mankind the brotherhood of man is no longer a dream.

Ten cent cotton evens up lots of bad weather and other difficulties for the farmer.

GOVERNMENT TO REBUILD.

Will Replace Fortifications and All Buildings at Galveston.

New York, Sept. 13.—The corps of engineers comprising the chief's department met Wednesday in the army building in Whitehall street to make plans and arrangements for repairs to be made in and about Galveston. The army department has been making improvements in Galveston bay, which were in a half-finished condition when the hurricane struck and most of these destroyed by the storm. Though all plans and arrangements were not completed it was said quick action will be taken and the work will be pushed at once.

The projected improvements will include connections with Houston. Houston is located on Buffalo bayou which opens into Galveston bay. The army proposes to build a channel 100 feet wide and 25 feet deep through Galveston bay from the present ship channel to the mouth of Buffalo bayou where another will be dug 80 feet wide and 17½ feet deep up the bayou to Houston. It is expected the cost of this work will be \$4,000,000 of which sum is allowed for work as \$781,856 already has been expended in Galveston bay and \$210,150 in bayou. The army department will also give all possible aid in repairing bridges to the mainland and water front so that shipping interests of the place will be protected to the fullest extent.

M'KIBBEN'S REPORT.

He Sends to the Government a Very Conservative Estimate.

Washington, Sept. 13.—The war department has received the following telegram from General McKibben, who was sent to Galveston to report on conditions there:

"Houston, Tex., Sept. 12.—Adjutant General, Washington, D. C.—Arrived at Galveston, 6 p. m., having been ferried across the bay in a yawl boat. Impossible to adequately describe the condition existing. Storm began about 9 a. m., Saturday and constantly increasing violence until after midnight. The island was inundated. The height of the tide was from 11 to 13 feet. The wind was a cyclone. With few exceptions every building in the city injured. Hundreds entirely destroyed, all fortifications except the rapid fire battery, at San Jacinto practically destroyed. At San Jacinto every building except the quarantine station has been swept away. Battery O, First artillery, lost 28 men. Officers and their families were all saved. Three members of the hospital corps were lost. Names will be sent as soon possible. Loss of life on island possibly more than 1000. All bridges are gone, waterworks destroyed and all telegraph lines down. Colonel Roberts was in the city and made every effort to get telegrams through. City under control of a committee of citizens and everything perfectly quiet. Every article, equipment or property pertaining to Battery O, lost. Not a record of any kind left. Men saved nothing but the clothing on their persons. Nearly all are without shoes or clothing other than shirts and trousers. Clothing has been purchased and temporary arrangements made for food and shelter. There are probably 5000 citizens homeless and absolutely destitute and must be clothed, sheltered and fed. Have ordered 20,000 rations and tents for 1000 from Fort Sam Houston. Have wired commissary general to ship 30,000 rations by express. Lieutenant Perry will make his way back to Houston and send this telegram."

GIVEN THE ROAD.

World's Special Train Has Right of Way Over All Roads.

St. Louis, Sept. 13.—The New York World special relief train en route to Galveston has been given the right of way over all others on the road, and it is expected that a record breaking run to Houston will be made. It is composed of two Pullmans, three baggage cars and one refrigerator car. Two of the baggage cars are loaded with clothing, food supplies, medicine, etc., one with disinfectants and the refrigerator car contains meats and vegetables. There are only a few doctors and nurses aboard. The World having been advised that a sufficient number can be secured locally.

Government Sending Ships.

Washington, Sept. 13.—Word has just reached Acting Secretary Hackett that the gunboat Bancroft would leave New London as soon as she coaled and would reach Galveston about Sept. 29, also that the tug Sebago had left Pensacola navyyard for the storm stricken city. The latter vessel would be valuable for use in transporting work between the city and the mainland.

Strikes New England.

Boston, Sept. 13.—The now famous East Indian hurricane which started 10 days far to the eastward of Puerto Rico, pushed across Cuba and Jamaica and thrashed about the Gulf of Mexico, entered New England Wednesday and added nearly a million dollars to lengthening the list of losses of this remarkable storm.

Steamer Lyons Believed Lost.

Conneaut, O., Sept. 13.—The steamer Lyons is believed lost as no trace of her can be found. Eleven persons are believed to have gone down with the steamer which founded in the great storm Tuesday night. Five survivors, two women and three men, drifted ashore Wednesday near here lashed to the mast. They had been in the water 15 hours. The Lyons carried a crew of 16.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

EXCHANGE

G A Bruck, St Louis; Harry Beck, Hillsboro; G Walde, R H Young, Houston; O H Wefing, New York; F D Taft, St. Louis; M M Stone, Dallas; J E Fuller, Chicago; A C Shell, San Antonio; G D Heseman, Waco; E G Oppermann, St. Louis; B M Quigley, Chicago; J L Featherston, Palestine; Sam Jacobs, Waco.

CENTRAL.

J N Thompson, Waco; Thom J Hocker, Lampasas; J R Reynolds, C Jackson and son, G A Hale, Ed Wilcox, Julian Reynolds, J E Spiller, W H Bass, C W & B V; Manning Snow, Iola; Jim Mathews, Oklahoma; C E Kenedy, P H Orrick, B F Leonard, W E Cloud, Kurten; Bob Martin, Pankey; E F Jones, Harvey, Dr B Harrison, Pankey.

Room and Board.

Wanted, in some private family for young man, must be close in. C., at Eagle office. 245

CUMBERLAND I. T.

We write you a few more lines about the Indian Territory.

Crops are short here on account of the dry hot winds.

One man and two boys have made 2800 bushels of oats 800 bushels of corn and thinks he will get about two bales of cotton. He is getting 20 cents per bushel for all the oats he wishes to sell.

A load of corn sold here last Saturday for 25 cents per bushel and it is believed that it will go still higher as crops are short.

Cotton and wheat grow here but corn and oats do better generally.

We have several kinds of soil here. The black waxy, black sandy and red sandy are the best but the black waxy is the most productive.

Water is hard to get in this section and as a rule is not good after you get it.

D. J. McDonald.

COTTONWOOD.

Those on the sick list this week are Mrs. Mansel Misses Nora, Lou and Lizzie Thomas and Mrs. Milda Mathis and others.

We were visited by a wind and rain storm Saturday night and Sunday.

There was no preaching Sunday on account of the rain.

Mrs. Buckhaults and Mrs. Minnie Edge of Kurten and Miss Minnie Bullock of Reliance attended church here Saturday.

D. E. Smith of Cleveland visited friends and relatives here the past week and left Monday for Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hudspeth gave the young people of this community an ice cream supper last Thursday night which was enjoyed by all who attended.

Correspondent

MILLICAN.

Millican, Tex. Sep. 10.—The storm here Saturday night did considerable damage to houses, fences, farms and trees, though no lives were lost.

The hotel at Allenfarm blew down, and large pecan trees blew up by the roots. No lives were lost there that we have heard of.

Sendao was a dreary day here, the wind high, and no communication with other places south, until up in the day when the night passenger came through, giving sad reports.

Mr. Sam Edwards and grandson Perry Canthen from Lampasas



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America's Leading Corset

W. B. Corsets are the only corsets made with protective pocket coverings to the bones and steels which prevent them from breaking through the material. This extra covering does away with the annoyance and discomfort caused by the bones and steels piercing the materials.

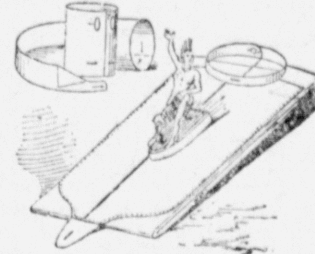
We carry W. B. CORSETS IN ALL STYLES AND SIZES—if you want a long, an extra long, medium, or a short corset, in fact any style you may require, we are in a position to give you a proper fit.

BURT NORWOOD.

HARPER WHISKEY RECEIVED GOLD MEDAL

(Special Dispatch) PARIS, August 25.—American whiskies received the official approval of the exposition today, when Gold Medal was awarded to Bernheim Bros., Louisville, Ky., on their L. W. Harper Whiskey. Sold in Bryan, Texas, by J. L. Hearne.

Just Keep the Change!



In your home town and it will help it grow. We would like to get every piece of laundry in Bryan, and if you will give us a fair chance, will prove to you that it is to your interest to let us do your laundry work.

WE WILL DO IT RIGHT, OR IT WILL COST

YOU NOTHING

We mean business and are here to do the best of work. And we are doing it, too. Others say so, you'll likely say the same when you let us have your bundle. Won't you try us next time? Phone 141.

American Laundry, E. D. Beach, Prop.

stopped over to visit relatives here, and will then go to Waco, where Perry will enter Baylor college.

Miss Mary Lou Monroe returned to her home in Kosse Monday after a two weeks visit to Miss Alice Dunlap.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson and children are visiting in Marlin.

Cev. J. P. Skinner and Willie Dunlap returned from Battle school Sunday.

Misses Lettie and Gertie Cunningham left for Greenville Monday, where they will enter school.

Miss Mamie Ware of Ft. Worth is visiting Mrs. M. C. Meredith.

Miss Alice Dunlap went to Bryan Friday.

Miss Pearl Lewis is visiting in Wellborn.

Mrs. T. P. Battle and Miss Williams of Wellborn spent Tuesday and Wednesday with relatives here.

Mrs. G. S. Sandel of Anderson, visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McGregor went to Navasota Saturday and returned Monday.

HARVEY.

Harvey, Texas, Sept. 10.—We are having fine weather now to gather our crops, but Saturday night's storm did a great deal of damage to our crops of cotton and corn. The cotton is blown down, and what cotton was open is scattered from one side of the field to the other.

The trustees of Bethel academy have contracted with Professor Sims, from Baylor college, at Waco. We are in high hopes that we will have a good school.

Miss Leila Griffin of Bryan will teach the music department.

Rev. S. R. McClung left last Tuesday for Houston to be gone a few as a witness in court.

The health is improving a little, but not as fast as we would wish. Sailor.

The Press Publishing Company's Census guessing Contest will continue for a month or so, as it is estimated that the census returns cannot be counted up and completed at Washington for at least two months yet.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT!

1900-Fall and Winter-1901



The great Chicago Merchant Tailors M. BORN & CO. will make a display of their magnificent line of Fabrics for Fall and Winter wear at our store. Their representative, who is posted on the prevailing styles, will be with us September 10, and 11, and help you make your selection.

They GUARANTEE FIT AND SATISFACTION

This opening will be special. Don't miss it. You can have your measure taken free of charge, even if you don't order. Remember the date, September 10-11.

WILL R. THOMAS
BRYAN, TEXAS.

For Iced Tea, Chase & Sanborn's
famous

Emperor's Blend,

has no equal. We have just received a
shipment of the famous

WOODCOCK HAMS AND BREAKFAST BACON

They cost you a little more but are well worth the difference
as one trial will convince you. Also have a fresh stock of
DOZIER'S FANCY CAKES AND CRACKERS. Penick &
Ford's Open Kettle Molasses put up in gallon and one-half gallon
cans. MAGNOLIA Flour costs you no more than many
inferior brands and when used once you will have no other.

Dansby & Dansby,

PHONE 114.

YOUR FALL SUIT



Should command your at-
tention just at present, can't
tell when we'll have a cold
snap; be prepared for it by
placing your order now. We
are showing a swell line of all
Wool Cheviots in Dark Gray,
Brown, Black and Blue, just
the thing for a nobby business
suit, made to your measure for
\$13.50, \$16.00 and \$18.00.

PARKS & WALDROP,

MEN'S
OUTFITTERS

MINISTER CHI PLEASED.

He Thanks the United States for its
Stands in Chinese War.

London, Sept. 13.—The Chinese min-
ister here, Chi Chen Lo Fen Luh, gave
a representative of the Associated Press
an interview on the general situation in
which he took special care to thank the
United States government for its atti-
tude toward the Chinese government,
and the American people for what he be-
lieved would prove to be "their hearty
support of the government's attitude."

"I hope to see Lord Salisbury on Fri-
day," said the minister, "and I trust
England will see her way to agree to the
withdrawal of her troops from Peking. I
have had no report of Lord Salisbury's
policy, but I take hope from the fact that
Prince Ching has had an interview with
Sir Robert Hart. Prince Ching was pres-
ident of the tsung li yamen, to which
Sir Robert Hart was attached, I antici-
pate he will be able to accomplish much
towards the final acceptance of a board
of arbitration. I am especially pleased
that it is proposed to appoint a United
States peace commission of which Mr.
John W. Foster may be a member. Mr.
Foster is much esteemed not only by Li
Hung Chang, but by many Chinese offi-
cials.

"I believe the United States will ren-
der China a great service as well as ac-
complish much for its own future.

"We all have great faith in Secretary
Hay and the United States has always
occupied an important position in the
eyes of China. We have not forgotten
that it was the American admiral alone
who refused to fire on the forts at Taku."

Converts Murdered.

Yokohama, Sept. 13.—Japanese officer
at Chung, Korea, reports two Japanese
and several hundred Chinese and Ko-
rean converts have been murdered on
frontier by Chinese.

Presbyterian Missionary Killed.

Washington, Sept. 13.—Minister Con-
ger cables the state department under
date of Sept. 6, "that Hodges was
killed at Pao Ting Fu." Mr. Hodges
was a Presbyterian missionary.

Li Has the Power.

Washington, Sept. 13.—Minister Wu
has received a cablegram from Li Hung
Chang answering the hope expressed in
the American note of a few days ago
that his powers are sufficient to protect
American lives and interest in China.
Earl Li says he has that power and will
see that protection is given.

Failed to Take Fortification.

London, Sept. 13.—A special dispatch
from Shanghai says the Russians failed
after two attacks to take the Chinese
fortifications at Pei Tang, north of Taku.
Li Hung Chang declared he is willing
to negotiate for the restoration of Em-
peror Kwang Su, but not for the pun-
ishment of Princes Tuan, Yung Lu or
Kang Yi, president of the board of war.

FUSION IN COLORADO.

Democrats, Silver Republicans and Pop-
ulists Combine on State Officers.

Denver, Sept. 13.—The fusion of the
Democratic, Silver Republican and Pop-
ulist parties has been accomplished. The
following ticket was nominated:
Congress, First district—John C. Ball,
Populist.

Governor—James B. Organ, Demo-
crat.

Lieutenant governor—John Calder-
wood, Populist.

Secretary of state—David Nills, Popu-
list.

Treasurer—Dr. J. H. Chipley, Silver
Republican.

Supreme judge—Robert W. Steele,
Silver Republican.

Superintendent of public instruction—
Mrs. Helen M. Grenfell, Silver Republi-
can.

Attorney general—C. C. Post, Popu-
list.

Auditor—C. W. Prout, Democrat.

After the ticket had been ratified by
the Democrats reconsidered the ratifica-
tion of the nomination of Calderwood
for lieutenant governor on motion of
Governor Charles S. Thomas and re-
ferred the case to the state central com-
mittee.

Inspection of Chickamauga.

Washington, Sept. 13.—A circular of
the Chickamauga and Chattanooga park
commission announces that arrangements
have been completed with the approval
of the secretary of war for inspection by
veterans of all armies engaged about
Chattanooga of historical tablets, monu-
mental inscriptions and location of lines
of battle upon seven battlefields em-
braced in the park, the object being to
secure verifications or correction by par-
ticipants in the battles of this historic
work thus far completed. Inspection
will take place Oct. 9, 10 and 11, and a
half rate has been made on most of the
railroads.

Anarchistic Documents Found.

Madrid, Sept. 13.—A Swiss recently
landed at Santander from the United
States and thence proceeded for San
Sebastian where he was arrested and
baggage searched. Important docu-
ments were found hidden behind the
lining in the bottom of his trunk, re-
vealing an anarchistic plot to assassinate
an European monarch.

Strike the Outlook.

Indianapolis, Sept. 13.—John Mitch-
ell, president of the United Mine Work-
ers, has arrived here from Chicago.
He says that unless something unforeseen
happens a strike will be in force at
once.

Bryan On Another Trip.

Chicago, Sept. 13.—Mr. Bryan has left
here for points in Ohio and Indiana,
whence he goes to St. Louis and Kansas
and finally going home for a brief rest.

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Southbound No. 2.....3:55 p. m.
Northbound No. 3.....1:55 a. m.
Southbound No. 4.....3:00 a. m.

C. W. & B. V. Time Card, Bryan
MIXED TRAINS.

Southbound No. 105 arr 10:15 a. m.
Northbound No. 106 lvs 6:15 p. m.

LOCAL NEWS.

H. L. Bush returned from Hous-
ton yesterday.

Squire W. C. Pool was here from
Millican yesterday.

B. H. Peverley came up from Mil-
lican yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carr left yester-
day for Brenham.

Paul Bradley left yesterday for an
extended business trip.

H. Levy of Houston was here yester-
day visiting relatives.

Drink Mt. Vernon pure rye for sale
by the Exposition Saloon. d 17

Antone Conrad was among the vis-
itors to the city yesterday.

Five room residence for rent, near
business. W. D. Lawrence. 43

Genuine Imported old Tom Cat
Gin at the Exposition Saloon. 1531f

FOR SALE.—A good second hand
bicycle. Apply to Edge Bros. 245

Metropolitan cigars are the best.
Sold by the Exposition Saloon. d 17

Call for Lemp's bottle beer, refresh-
ing, invigorating. Take no other. 63

W. R. Foster was among the call-
ers at the Eagle office Wednesday.

T. G. Page and little son gave the
Eagle a call while in the city yester-
day.

For Waco marble monuments,
coping and iron railing see L. C.
Moseley. 46

FOR SALE—Good six room cot-
tage south part of town. Apply at
this office. d 67

Leon Bond returned to Houston
yesterday after visiting E. B. Lomax
and family.

Mrs. A. J. Edwards of Millican was
the guest of Judge Board's family
yesterday.

Miss Ethel Hutson of College
Station will teach Art in the Bryan
Female Academy. Miss Hutson has
studied Art under the best masters
in the United States, and her pro-
ficiency as instructor and the value
of her productions commend her to
the patronage of the people of Bryan.

I wish to state to the public that I
have opened a new meat market at
the stand by the light plant and will
handle exclusively Dallas packing
house products. Those who have
ever tried these goods know them to
be the best. Give me a call. T. L.
Grace. 244

Mrs. R. J. Ford returned from
Houston yesterday accompanied by
Mrs. W. A. Rowan and children of
Alvin. The Rowan home at Alvin
was destroyed, also their house on a
ranch twelve miles from Alvin. The
family was at the ranch during the
storm.

Cheap and beautiful open stock
pure white China, as cheap as good
decorated crockery; a large line just
received. Ladies, I want you to call
and see these goods. J. Allen
Myers. 249

L. B. Mendola has returned from
Galveston. En route he assisted
several hours in the railroad work
necessary to get trains down to the
bay shore.

Rev. E. L. Shettles returned from
Houston yesterday. He reports all
relatives of his family heard from at
Galveston safe, but hundreds of
friends of himself and wife were
drowned.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Stewart
of Galveston are guests of Dr. and
Mrs. W. H. Wilson, having safely
weathered the great storm.

Mr. Samuel Levy was a victim of a
painful accident late Wednesday
afternoon. He fell from a wagon and
had one arm broken.

Mrs. W. R. Lindley and daughter,
Miss Annie, returned to Houston
yesterday after visiting in Madison-
ville.

As usual Bryan is leading all sur-
rounding towns by several lengths
on cotton receipts.

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Deed of Trust.....	10c
Deed, Warranty (all cash).....	10c
Deed, Warranty, Vendor's Lien.....	10c
Deed, Quit Claim.....	10c
Power of Attorney.....	5c
Release of Vendor's Lien.....	5c
Transfer of Vendor's Lien.....	5c
Promissory Note.....	2 for 5c
Real Estate Lease.....	5c



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THE REFUGEES HOLD UP WELL.

They Take Their Misfortune Without Complaining.

THEIR FLIGHT IS INDEED DEPLORABLE.

Some Hatless, Others Shoeless and All
Have Lost Some Relative, Often
Being the Only Member of
the Family Living.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 13.—Houston is now the haven of the unfortunate people of Galveston. Trains have already brought in between 800 and 1000 of the survivors and a motley crowd they are. Men bareheaded, barefooted, hatless and coatless, with swelled feet and bruised and blackened bodies and heads were numerous. Women of wealth and refinement frequently hatless and shoeless, with their gowns in shreds, were among the refugees. Sometimes there would be a man, wife and a child or two, but these cases were rare, because a few of those who came up had not suffered the loss of one or more members of the family—sometimes all.

Never were there so many sad hearts. Men bereft of wife and children; women who were widowed; children who were parentless—it was enough to touch the heart of any one, and it did so. Never was there more heroism shown. Although a week ago these people had happy homes and were basking in the light of prosperity, and are now homeless, penniless and without raiment, they bore up grandly. True, they all wore sad expressions, but there was no whimpering, no complaining.

They were all made to feel that Houston is now their home, that they are welcome and that everything for their comfort and welfare is being done. They are being fed and housed and those in need of medical attention are placed in the hospitals where they received every care and are kindly administered to.

It has been a great relief to the refugees to reach Houston.

Many had tasted little or no food since Saturday and had no rest and virtually no sleep. They had been wandering aimlessly about the places where their homes had been, they had been nauseated by the awful stench arising from the dead. It was a surcease, a relief from those horrible scenes which cannot be seen in a nightmare or could not pass through the brain during mania potu.

THOUSANDS OF BODIES.

Report from One Relief Committee Reveals Extent of the Storm.

Houston, Sept. 13.—John Moody a member of the committee sent from Houston to take charge of the relief station at Texas City, reported to the mayor as follows Wednesday:

"On arriving at Lamarque this morning I was informed that the largest number of bodies were along the coast of Texas City. Fifty-six were buried yesterday and today within less than two miles, extending opposite this place and toward Virginia City. It is yet six miles further to Virginia City and the bodies are thicker where we are now than where they have been buried. A citizen inspecting in the opposite direction reports dead bodies thick for 20 miles.

"The residents of this place have lost all—not a habitable building left and they have been too busy disposing of the dead to look after personal affairs. Those who have anything left are giving it to the others, and yet there is real suffering. I have given away nearly all the bread I brought for our own use to hungry children.

"A number of helpless women and beggar children were landed here from Galveston island this afternoon and no place to go and not a bite to eat. Tomorrow others are expected from the same place.

"Every 10 feet along the wrecklined coast tells of acts of vandalism; not a trunk, valise or toolchest but what has been rifled. We buried a lady this afternoon whose fingers bore the mark of a recently removed ring. Other details too long to enumerate.

B. F. Cameron, from Stowell, Chambers county, says that the relief party which went from Stowell to Bolivar reported to him that there was over 1000 dead bodies on the beach at Bolivar, in East bay, and in the salt marshes which line the East bay. This party succeeded in burying only 40 of these people. The others are lying in the water and on land decomposing in the heat and giving forth a stench which is horrible. The carcasses of animals are mixed in with them. Many of these bodies were evidently swept across the bay from Galveston, others are of the people who lived at Bolivar.

He had no report as to those who were living at Bolivar as most of the survivors

had gotten away. He said the only way to dispose of this immense number of human bodies and the carcasses of animals is for a force to collect and burn them, otherwise they are sure to breed an epidemic which may extend far into the interior.

MONEY POURING IN.

Contributions Coming from All Parts of America and England.

Houston, Sept. 13.—From all parts of the United States and some portions of England many thousands of dollars are pouring into this city for the relief of Texas storm sufferers. Trains loaded with provisions and clothing are also hurrying toward Houston and Galveston.

The estimate of the dead still vary. Mayor Jones of Galveston maintains his opinion, given earlier, that the number will be no less than 5000. Property losses are mounting higher as further details arrive and some estimates for the city of Galveston reach as high as \$30,000,000.

There are 25,000 homeless in that city to be taken care of, and it is a question whether Galveston can or will be rebuilt. There seems to be a disposition on the part of the leading citizens, however, to start resolutely where the storm left off and raise a new city from the ruins of the old.

Military are patrolling the streets and looting has been given a setback. Several additional cases have been reported where vandals have been shot down while robbing the dead but the troops are rapidly gaining control of the lawless element.

Those who can get away are leaving Galveston as fast as boats can put them ashore.

They have quit burying the dead and the bodies are taken to sea or burned. Squads of men are engaged in looking for corpses and burning them as fast as found.

Manager Van Vleck, of the Southern Pacific, is hurrying material to Virginia Point for rebuilding the bridge. Work will be commenced at once.

All the railroads are bending all their energies toward getting people out of Galveston and free transportation is being offered.

Everybody is at work cleaning up and disinfecting.

All unemployed whites and blacks have been corralled and put to work cleaning up the debris for a passageway for vehicles through the streets.

Charles Patterson, connected with the Gulf and Interstate railway, came in from Bolivar Point and reported that from the point of the highlands for 20 miles south everything was washed away and 75 people were drowned. The wharves approach at Port Bolivar, the railway shops and rolling stock was destroyed or damaged and 21 miles of roadbed was washed away.

Telegraph communication will be restored to Galveston inside of 12 hours.

INLAND DAMAGE.

Towns Are Wrecked All Along the Coast and Many Killed.

Austin, Sept. 13.—Governor Sayers has begun receiving reports from various points on the gulf coast which indicate that there has been great property damage done for several hundred miles and that the list of Galveston fatalities and suffering will be largely augmented. Passing down the coast from Galveston the town of Dickinson was laid waste and five people killed.

The towns of Alvin, Alta Loma, Texas City and Brookshire are wrecked and hundreds are in need.

Richmond is so badly demolished that it will require months to clear the town. Missouri City and Stafford, just opposite, were entirely demolished and the few remaining people at that place have no homes to cover their heads.

Bay City, in Matagorda county, is reported wrecked with much loss of life, though no official report has been made to that effect.

Patton, Rollover, Bolivar Point, Quintana, Sugarland, Belleville, Wharton, Fairview, Missouri City, Sartaria, Arcola, El Campo are all reported heavy sufferers both in point of property destroyed and lives lost.

Owing to the fact that the telegraphic service is badly crippled they cannot ascertain the exact number of dead at the points named, but it is approximated at 500.

DISINFECTANTS NEEDED.

They Are a Necessity to Keep Pestilence from Galveston.

Houston, Sept. 13.—The following was given to the Associated Press by Mayor Brashear and B. A. Riesner, chairman of the general relief committee, to be sent the country at large:

"The urgent need of Galveston now as reported officially are: Lime and all other disinfectants, in large quantities and as quickly as possible; oil for cooking and illuminating, candles, small gasoline stoves, feed for horses, potatoes, beans, rice and grits, canned milk, crackers, lemons and lemon syrup."

Santa Fe at Work.

Arkansas City, Kas., Sept. 13.—All available bridge and building material on the Oklahoma division of the Santa Fe and its branches have been gathered together and pile drivers, tools and cars of that description have been sent to Texas to repair the railroad into Galveston.

Vote in Maine.

Portland, Sept. 13.—Returns from all but 36 small towns give Hill for governor a total of 72,412; Lord, Democrat, 30,812; Republican plurality 33,000.

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